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SUBJECT: JOINT US/USSR APOLLO-SOYUZ COVERAGE

REF: A) LIBREVILLE 1063 B) USIA INFO GUIDE 75-2-C

1. DEPARTMENT AND USIA HAVE CONSIDERED SUBJECT REFTEL (A) AND HAVE CONCLUDED THAT USIS SHOULD ASK EMBASSY'S CONCURRENCE BEFORE JOINING SOVIETS IN ANY APOLLO-SOYUZ PROGRAMMING. IF, AFTER TAKING SOVIET AMBASSADOR FILITOVS BACKGROUND INTO ACCOUNT, EMBASSY AND USIS CONSIDER JOINT COVERAGE TO BE BENEFICIAL TO US IMAGE AND OTHERWISE SUITABLE IN GABON, DEPARTMENT AND USIA WOULD AGREE TO GOING AHEAD WITH A LOW-LEVEL, INFORMAL APOLLO-SOYUZ PROGRAM WITH SOVIETS WITHIN GUIDELINES SET BY 75-2-C (REF (B)). POST URGED TO MAKE USE OF US CULTURAL CENTER FOR POSSIBLE CONFIDENTIAL

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APOLLO-SOYUZ PRESENTATIONS AND TO BE WARY OF SOVIET ATTEMPTS TO DOMINATE PROGRAMMING.

2. REQUEST POST KEEP DEPARTMENT/USIA INFORMED AS TO

POSSIBLE JOINT PRESENTATIONS. KISSINGER

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